



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Goddard et al. Docket No.: 39780-2730P1C68  
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For: **SECRETED AND TRANSMEMBRANE POLYPEPTIDES AND  
NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING THE SAME**  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

**MS: AMENDMENT**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on February 23, 2005 in connection with the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments, and consider the following arguments. This response is timely filed with a Petition for Extension of time for one month with necessary fees.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.